GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

HM&FW Department – For engaging (110) Yoga instructors (@Rs.8000/- pm) one in each established Health Wellness Centre, under Ayushman Bharat on Contract basis within the funds sanctioned by the Government of India for a period of one year or till the completion of scheme - Permission – Accorded - Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (F.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.756. **Dated:14.12.2021.**

Read:-

From the Commissioner of AYUSH, A.P., Vijayawada,
Lr.No.1367/D/PMU/2019, Dt:08.02.2021 & 17.03.2021

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ORDER:-

In the letter read above, the Commissioner of AYUSH, A.P., Vijayawada, has stated that the Ministry of Ayush, Government of India has approved the proposal to operationalize 12,500 Health Wellness Centres under AYUSHMAN Bharat in phased manner from the year 2019-20 to 2023-24. For the state of Andhra Pradesh, 300 AYUSH Dispensaries were set as target for upgradation into Health Wellness Centres in five years in between 2019-20 to 2023-24.

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2. The Commissioner of AYUSH, A.P., has also informed that the vision of the program is to establish a holistic wellness model based on AYUSH principles and practices, to empower masses for "Self-care" to reduce the disease burden, out of pocket expenditure and also to provide informed choice to the needy public and to focus more on the proposals of AYUSH Health Wellness Centres in SAAP as per the detailed mapping undertaken by State of A.P., so far.

3. The Commissioner of AYUSH, A.P., has further stated that the Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India, has been approved one Yoga Instructor to be engaged mandatorily in each AYUSH Health Wellness Centre through outsourcing appointment for conducting Yoga sessions at Health Wellness Centres under AYUSHMAN Bharat as per the operational Guidelines issued by Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India. One can reach an optimal level of Wellness by practicing the Yoga such as physical, emotional, spiritual, occupational, environmental and social well being.

4. The Commissioner of AYUSH, A.P., has also informed that the financial implication in sanctioning of 110 Yoga Instructors through outsourcing posts can be met from the Government of India funds 60:40 between the centre and state till the completion of mission period. The remuneration for these posts was fixed in accordance and as per AYUSHMAN Bharat operational guidelines under the National AYUSH Mission scheme.

5. The Commissioner of AYUSH, A.P., has further stated that the required details and its justification of Yoga Instructors are as follows:

Component	Name of the Post	No. of posts	Salary per month(Rs)	Salary per month (110X 8000)	Total Salary per year	Justification
Health Wellness Centres under AYUSHMAN Bharat	Yoga Instructor	110	8000/- As per the GOI guidelines	8,80,000/-	1,05,60,000/-	The GOI have released sufficient funds to meet the expenditure for salaries and also instructed "If qualified Yoga teachers are already available in the locality with Certification/Diploma/Degree from a recognized body and who is currently practicing/ teaching yoga they may be deployed at HWC after following all codal formalities.

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6. The Commissioner of AYUSH , A.P., has also informed that the Government of India, Ministry of AYUSH, has already allocated Rs.1,05,60,000/- (Rupees One Crore Five Lakhs and Sixty Thousand only) towards the payment of salaries for Yoga Instructor engaged in AYUSH Health Wellness Centres for the years 2019-20 & 2020-21.

7. The Commissioner of AYUSH, A.P., has requested the Government to issue necessary permission for engaging 110 Yoga instructors one in each established Health Wellness Centre, under AYUSHMAN BHARAT through outsourcing appointment within the funds sanctioned by the Government of India, so as to start the Ayush Health Wellness Centres.

8. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby decide and accord permission for engaging (110) Yoga instructors (@Rs.8000/- pm) one in each established Health Wellness Centre (HWC), under AYUSHMAN BHARAT on Contract basis within the funds sanctioned by the Government of India; so as to start the Ayush Health Wellness Centres, for a period of one year or until then the scheme will be closed whichever is earlier.

9. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Deptt vide their U.O.No.1485167 /HR-II/ FIN01-HR0MISC/146/2021, dt:22.11.2021.

10. The Commissioner of Ayush, AP., Gollapudi, Vijayawada is therefore requested to take necessary action accordingly in the mater.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MUDDADA RAVI CHANDRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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